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Activities at the Shanghai Base Command of the East China Air Force
from 10 to 16 December:

- a. On 10 December two bombers left Lunghua at 7 a.m. for bombing exercises over the sea off Choushan (122- , 30-) and returned at 11 a.m. One civil transport from K'aifeng (114-21, 34-48) arrived at Tachang at 1:30 p.m.
- b. On 11 December two fighter squadrons left Lunghua on night-flying exercises. One plane crashed into the sea off Ch'ungming (121-26, 31-38) as a result of engine trouble. Two flying officers and one mechanic were killed. On 14 December the plane was salvaged.
- c. On 13 December: bad weather.
- d. On 14 December one reconnaissance plane left Tachang at 9 a.m. on an observation flight over the sea near Shanghai and returned at 12 noon.
- e. On 15 December three fighters made practice flights at Tachang between 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.
- f. On 16 December one civil transport landed at Lunghua at 12:20 p.m. One reconnaissance plane left at 10:30 a.m. for an observation flight over the Yangtze, and returned at 1:40 to Hungjao. Three fighters made practice flights at Tachang between 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. One civil air transport from Peiping arrived at Lunghua at 2:30.

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